

§ 12.02-29 Expiration of existing merchant mariner's documents.

The expiration year of a merchant mariner's document issued without an expiration date is calculated by adding 5-year increments to the issuance date of the document, up to the first applicable year falling between 1995 and 1999, inclusive. The day and month of expiration are the same as that of issuance. Table 12.02-29 is provided as an aid for calculating the expiration date of a document issued without an expiration date. A merchant mariner's document is not valid for use after the expiration date calculated under this section, but may be renewed in accordance with the requirements of § 12.02-27.

TABLE 12.02-29.—EXPIRATION OF MERCHANT MARINER'S DOCUMENTS ISSUED WITH NO EXPIRATION DATE ¹

| Expiration year | | | | |
|-----------------|------|------|-------|-------|
| 1999 | 1998 | 1997 | 1996 | 1995 |
| Issue Year | | | | |
| 1994 | 1993 | 1992 | 1991 | 1990 |
| 1989 | 1988 | 1987 | 1986 | 1985 |
| 1984 | 1983 | 1982 | 1981 | 1980 |
| 1979 | 1978 | 1977 | 1976 | 1975 |
| 1974 | 1973 | 1972 | 1971 | 1970 |
| 1969 | 1968 | 1967 | 1966 | 1965 |
| 1964 | 1963 | 1962 | 1961 | 1960 |
| 1959 | 1958 | 1957 | 1956 | 1955 |
| 1954 | 1953 | 1952 | 1951 | 1950 |
| 1949 | 1948 | 1947 | 1946 | 1945 |
| 1944 | 1943 | 1942 | 1941 | 1940 |
| 1939 | 1938 | 1937 | | |

¹ Find the year in which the merchant mariner's document was issued (Issue Year), then move up the column to find the Expiration Year. Month and day of expiration correspond to the month and day of issue.

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Subpart 12.03—Approved and Accepted Training

§ 12.03-1 Coast Guard-accepted training other than approved courses.

(a) When the training and assessment of competence required by part 10 of this chapter or by this part 12 are not subject to approval under § 10.302 of this chapter, but are used to qualify to hold an STCW certificate or endorsement for service on or after February 1, 2002, the training and assessment must meet the following requirements:

(1) The training and assessment must have written, clearly defined objectives that emphasize specific knowledge, skills, and abilities, and that include criteria to be used in establishing a student's successful achievement of the training objectives.

(2) The training must be set out in a written syllabus that conforms to a Coast Guard-accepted outline for such training and includes—

(i) The sequence of subjects to be covered;

(ii) The number of hours to be devoted to instruction in relevant areas of knowledge;

(iii) The identity and professional qualifications of the instructor(s) to be conducting the training or providing instruction;

(iv) The identity of other media or facilities to be used in conducting the training; and

(v) Measurements at appropriate intervals of each candidate's progress toward acquisition of the specific knowledge, skills, and abilities stated in the training objectives.

(3) Except as provided in paragraph (a)(4) of this section, documentary evidence must be readily available to establish that all instructors—

(i) Have experience, training, or instruction in effective instructional techniques;

(ii) Are qualified in the task for which the training is being conducted; and

(iii) Hold the level of license, endorsement, or other professional credential required of those who would apply, on board a vessel, the relevant level of knowledge, skills, and abilities described in the training objectives.

(4) Neither a specialist in a particular field of non-maritime education, such as mathematics or first aid, nor a person with at least 3 years of service as a member of the Armed Forces of the United States, specializing in a particular field, need hold a maritime license or document to conduct training in that field.

(5) A simulator may be used in training if—

(i) The simulator meets applicable performance standards;